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Reporting a Pesticide Incident

Health Canada advises that you do not have to be certain that a pesticide caused the effect in order to report it. You can report a pesticide incident directly to the pesticide company as listed on the product label. The company is required by law to report all incidents related to their products to Health Canada. You can also report the incident directly to Health Canada.

Instructions for Reporting a Domestic Animal Incident

<http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/cps-spc/pest/part/protect-proteger/incident/domest-animal-eng.php>

Pesticide Incident Reporting Form —

Domestic Animal Incident

http://www.hc-sc.gc.ca/cps-spc/alt_formats/pdf/pest/part/protect-proteger/incident/domest-animal-eng.pdf

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Book Review

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Physiology of Domestic Animals. 2nd edition

Sjaastad OV, Sand O, Hove K. Oslo: Scandinavian Veterinary press. 2010. 804 pp. ISBN: 9788-2917-4397-3.

The target audience for this text is students of animal sciences and veterinary medicine. However, the simplicity of writing and basic conceptualization of key topics generally makes it more useful as a basic introductory text for either undergraduate students or high school students preparing for more intense college courses.

Contrary to the simplicity of the text, it is very well organized with topics building upon one another as you are guided through the chapters. Additionally, each chapter has questions included to help guide students to the key points that should be taken away from a chapter as well as a list of references for

each chapter to guide further studies or more in depth information if needed.

Every chapter has a variety of charts and drawings, which are visually appealing and well described for the understanding of the reader. These images help to support the key ideas from each chapter as well as to engage visual learners in the study.

In general, this book would most benefit a veterinarian as a supplement for explaining information to clients in a more simplistic way that a layperson could understand. It could also be of benefit to a clinic as a quick reference for veterinary assistants desiring a better understanding of the importance of the work they are involved in.

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